### TEENAGERS AND DEATH

Straight talk about death for teenagers -

Grollman (YANF PB)

The power to prevent suicide - Nelson (YANF PB)

When a friend dies - Gootman (YANF PB)

Living when a young friend commits suicide—Grollman (YAPB)

### TEENAGERS AND DEATH - FICTION

Tiger eyes - Blume (YAPB)

A sudden silence—Eve Bunting (YAPB) brother

Chinese handcuffs - Crutcher (YAPB)

Walk two moons - Creech (YA)

Say Goodnight, Gracie - Deaver (YAPB)

Dovey Coe—Dewell (j)

After the rain - Mazer (YAPB)

Somewhere between life and death -

McDaniel (YAPB)

Remembering the good times - Peck (YAPB)

When the phone rang - Mazer (YAPB)

Toughing it - Springer (YAPB)

Give a boy a gun—Strasser (j YA)

Making up Megaboy—Walter (j and yapb)

Killer's cousin—Nancy Werlin (yapb)

ADDITIONAL BOOKS EXPLAINING DEATH TO YOUNG PEOPLE ARE AVAILABLE IN THE ADULT DEPARTMENT. CHECK COMPUTER CATALOGS UNDER SUBJECT.

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# POETRY AND WRITINGS FOR COMFORT AND INSPIRATION

I will sing life: Voices from the Hole in the Wall Gang - Berger (jPS548)

Crazy to be alive in such a strange world: poems about people selected by Nancy Larrick (jPN6110)

Imaginary gardens: American poetry and art for young people edited by Charles Sullivan (jPS586.3)

Peace and war: a collection of poems chosen by Michael Harrison (jPR1195)

911: the book of help—Michael Cart (YANF)

Let there be light: poems and prayers for repairing the world—Zalben

# **VIDEO**

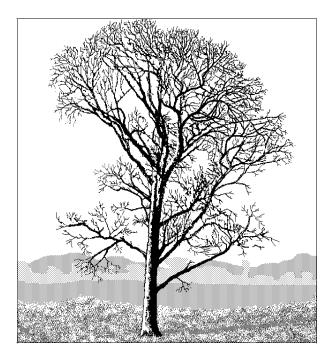
A PLACE PREPARED: Helping children understand death and heaven (Adult AV BF723)

### WEB RESOURCES

Web Resources: Dealing with Tragedy Resources for children and their parents and educators (http://www.ala.alsc/dealing\_with\_tragedy\_web. html)

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# DEATH AND DYING: A Booklist



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### ABOUT DEATH AND DYING

What we do when someone dies -Arnold (jGT3150)

Good answers to the tough questions about death -

Joy Berry jHQ1073.3

Why did it happen—Cohn (jHQ784)

The Grieving Child - Fitzgerald (jBF723)

Kid's Book About Death and Dying -

Fayerweather Street School (jBF723)

Part of me died, too - Fry (iBF723)

Bad stuff in the news—Gleman (jHQ784)

When someone dies - Greenlee (iBF575)

When someone very special dies—Heegard (jBF575)

Let's talk about going to a funeral - Johnston (jGT3203)

For those who live: helping children cope with the death

of a brother or sister—Latour (jBF789)

Helping Children Cope With Death -Pristine (jBF575)

(companion to: Someone special died - Pristine (jpb)

How Do We Tell The Children - Schaefer (jBF723)

Everything you need to know when someone you know

has been killed - Schleifer (jBF724.3)

About Dying - Stein (jBD444)

Talking with children about loss—Trozzi (jBF723)

After the funeral—Winsch (jBF723)

### DEATH OF AN ANIMAL

The dead bird - Margaret Brown (ip)

The accident - Carol Carrick (jp)

Jim's dog Muffin—Cohen (jp)

Murphy and Kate - Howard (j)

Goodbye, Max - Keller (jp)

Death is natural - Pringle (jQH530)

When a pet dies - Mr. Rogers (jp)

Bonesy and Isabel - Rosen (jp)

Cat heaven—Rylant (jp)

Dog Heaven—Rylant (jp)

The tenth good thing about Barney - Viorst(j fic)

Charlotte's web - E.B. White (j fiction)

I'll always love you - Wilhelm (jp)



# STORIES EXPLAINING DEATH And LOSS

Memory string—Bunting (jp) mother

Do Rainbows last forever - Devore (j)

A terrible thing happened—Holmes (jp)

The goodbye boat—Mary Joslin (jp)

Lifetimes - Mellonie (jpb)

A story for hippo: a book about loss—Puttock (jp)

What's heaven—Maria Shriver (jp)

The Saddest time - Norma Simon (JP)

### JUVENILE REFERENCE...

Books to help children cope with separation and loss: an annotated bibliography - Rudman (jREF BF575)

### DEATH OF A CHILD

Sadako and the 1000 paper cranes - Coerr (jRJ416)

I had a friend named Peter - Cohn (j)

Molly's rosebush - Cohn jp (baby)

If Nathan were here—Fritts (jp) Beat the turtle drum - Greene (j) accidental

Summer to die - Lowry (jYA)

Eighty eight steps to September - Marino (j)

Gentle willow - Mills (j)

Mick Harte was here - Park (j) brother

Taste of Blackberries - Smith (j) bee sting Ryan White: my own story (jRJ387) AIDS



### DEATH OF AN OLDER PERSON

The happy funeral - Bunting (jp) grandmother

You hold me and I'll hold you - Carson (jp)

Blow me a kiss, Miss Lily - Carlstrom (jp)

When grandpa came to stay - Caseley (jp)

My grandfather's house - Coville (jp)

Nana upstairs and nana downstairs - DePaola (jp)

Losing Uncle Tim - Friedman (j) (AIDS)

Poppy's chair - Hesse (jp)

How it feels when a parent dies - Krementz (jBF723)

Goodbye boat—Joslin (jp)

Learning to say goodbye: when a parent dies - LeShan (jBF575)

Liplap's wish - London (jp)

Annie and the old one - Miles (j) grandmother

After Charlotte's Mom died - Spellman j

Saying goodbye to Grandma - Thomas j

Saying goodbye to Daddy - Vigna (j)

Grandad Bill's song - Yolen jp

Pearl's marigolds for Grandpa - Zalben jp

# FICTION FOR READERS GRADES 4-6

Something very sorry - Bohlmeijer jpb (mother)

Halfway to the sky—Bradley j (brother)

Everywhere - Brooks (j) grandfather

Blackwater—Bunting (friend)

Goodbye Chicken Little - Byars (uncle)

Where the lilies bloom - Cleaver (j) father

United Tates of America—Danziger (uncle)

Devil's bridge - DeFelice (j) father

Flying solo - Fletcher j (classmate)

Snow drops for cousin Ruth - Katz j (brother)

Rock River - Maynard j (brother)

Girlhearts—Mazer (mother)

Mick Harte was here - Park j (brother)

Bridge to Teribithia - Paterson (j) friend

Flip-flop girl - Paterson (j) father

Missing May - Rylant (j) mother

Blue Eyes Better—Wallace (brother)